

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – PR&RD – – Irregularities in several road works carried out in Vemuru in Guntur District – Disciplinary proceedings against Sri. S. Shoukath Hussain, the then Superintending Engineer, PR, Circle, Guntur (Retired on 31.05.2012)., under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Article of charges – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 1024

Dated: 20.11.2014

Read :

G.O.Ms. No.145, PR & RD (Vig.II) Department, Dated:20.11.2014.

ORDER:

In pursuance of sanction accorded by Government under Sub Clause (i) of Clause (b) of Sub Rule 2 of Rule 9 of the Revised Pension Rules, 1980 for instituting Departmental proceedings against Sri. S. Shoukath Hussain, the then Superintending Engineer, PR, Circle, Guntur (Retired on 31.05.2012) vide reference read above, it is proposed to hold an enquiry against the said Sri. S. Shoukath Hussain, the then Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Circle, Guntur (Retired on 31.05.2012) in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehavior in respect of which the enquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of article of charges (Annexure-I). A list of documents by which and a list of witnesses by whom, the article of charges are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure-II and III).

3. Sri. S. Shoukath Hussain, the then Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Circle, Guntur (Retired on 31.05.2012), is directed to submit within ten (10) days of the receipt of this order, a written statement of his defense.

4. Sri. S. Shoukath Hussain, the then Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Circle, Guntur (Retired on 31.05.2012), is informed that an enquiry will be held only in respect of article of those charges as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny article of charge.

5. Sri. S. Shoukath Hussain, the then Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Circle, Guntur (Retired on 31.05.2012), is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defense on or before the period specified in Para 3 above or otherwise fails or refuses to comply with the provisions of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 or the orders / directions issued in pursuance of the said rules, the Inquiring Authority may hold the inquiry against him ex-parte.

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6. Sri. S. Shoukath Hussain, the then Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Circle, Guntur (Retired on 31.05.2012), is invited to Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings, it will be presumed that Sri. S. Shoukath Hussain, the then Superintending Engineer, PR, Circle, Guntur (Retired on 31.05.2012), is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule-24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

7. The receipt of this G.O. shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr.K.S.JAWAHAR REDDY
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri. S. Shoukath Hussain, the then Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Circle, Guntur (Retired on 31.05.2012) through the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.

The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.

(in duplicate with a request to serve and return the dated acknowledgement copy)

Copy to:

The General Administration.(V&E) Department.

(w.r.t.Vigilance Report No.16 (113/V&E /E1/2013), dt.31.01.2014.

The Panchayat Raj & Rural Development (Estt.I) Department.

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ANNEXURE-I

STATEMENT OF DRAFT ARTICLES OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI. S. SHOUKATH HUSSAIN, THE THEN SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER, PR, CIRCLE, GUNTUR (RETIRED ON 31.05.2012).

CHARGE:

Sri. S. Shoukath Hussain, the then Superintending Engineer, PR, Circle, Guntur (Retired on 31.05.2012) has

1. Entrusted the MNP works of Vemuru (V) ignoring the AEEs of PRI sub division concerned to Sri M. Hemambaradhara Reddy, AEE, PIU Sub-Divn (Projects), Tenali, on the recommendations of Sri B. Prabhakar Rao, Ex-MPP, Vemuru, who in connivance with the AEE played a benami role in execution of works of Vemuru (M).

2. Recommended the defective estimates without proper scrutiny to the CE, PR, NABARD leading to substandard quality of execution.

BASIS:

The GA (V&E Department vide report No.16 (113/V&E/E1/2013), dt:31-01-2014 have enquired into the allegation of irregularities in several works carried out in Vemuru (M), Guntur Dist.

Hence, the charge.

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ANNEXURE-II

LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE DRAFT ARTICLES OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI. S. SHOUKATH HUSSAIN, THE THEN SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER, PR, CIRCLE, GUNTUR (RETIRED ON 31.05.2012).

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ANNEXURE-III

LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHOM THE DRAFT ARTICLES OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI. S. SHOUKATH HUSSAIN, THE THEN SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER, PR, CIRCLE, GUNTUR (RETIRED ON 31.05.2012).

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